Texas Lions looking for campers

Texas Lions Camp is a summer camp dedicated to serving children from the state Texas with physical disabilities, type-1 diabetes and cancer between the ages of seven and sixteen. The camp is a modern facility located on over 500 acres outside of Kerrville in the beautiful Texas Hill Country.

Texas Lions Camp offers campers a chance to try new activities and create long lasting friendships while developing greater self-esteem, independence, and most of all, they get to have FUN!

Children eligible for the Texas Lions Camp summer program includes children age 7 to 16 physical disabilities. Eligible children include, but are not limited to, children who are hearing impaired or deaf, visually impaired or blind, have a missing limb, birth defects, cerebral palsy, arthritis, muscular dystrophy, cancer, asthma, heart conditions and others. One camp session is for children with Down syndrome

type-1 diabetes ages 8 to 15.

Learning can take on many forms and Texas Lions Camp is a Bronte Evening Lions Club at unique experience for many campers in the types of challenges presented. Counselors are assigned to each group of campers and escort them throughout the session, teaching and encouraging campers while meeting their special needs. Another key lesson is learning everyone has 'disability'some are just more obvious than others

The goal of Texas Lions Camp is to help children become more independent, productive adults. The programs of the Texas Lions Camp are intended to develop such qualities as improved selfimage, social adjustment and selfreliance. These services are offered to campers at no charge to them or their families.

Registration will begin in January 2015. If there are questions on whether your child would qualify, please contact the Texas Lions Camp Registrar, Melissa Wilson at 830-896-8500 X250 or mwilson@lions

ages 12 to 16. Two sessions are camp.com. Also, you can check provided for children who have out the Lions Camp webpage at www.lionscamp.com.

Locally, you can contact the 325-473-2911.

Christmas activities set for Rock Hotel

The Christmas Trees at the Rock Hotel are ready for you to come by and enjoy. Christmas Art by the Winters ISD First Grade students is on display and our decorators have done a superb job decorating the Rock Hotel this year!

New this year will be our special hosts. Most of the evenings that have special hosts will also have special events for you to enjoy. This year's schedule for public events

December 12-13, 5-8 pm,

December 18, 5-8 pm, Winters Lions Club, featuring Winters' own Elvis with his Christmas

December 19, 5-8 pm,

December 20, 5 to 8 pm, Drawing for Raffled 50" TV and

The Rock Hotel Gift Store will be open the hours that the museum is open. You can purchase raffle tickets and 125th **Birthday** Ornament at the Gift Store.

Watch for changes in the schedule that may occur.



Engagement Announced! Faith C. Lall and Stephen M. Tomes announced their engagement and wedding plans. Their relationship began as friends while Stephen was deployed. They spent so much time talking long distance that they realized their friendship blossomed into a life-time of love. They started with a solid relationship and now wish to continue their relationship with marriage. Faith and Stephen will be married December 27, 2014, at Grace Community Church in Adams, New York. The couple hopes to move to Texas following Stephen's end of duty sometime in April or May. Stephen is the son of George and Cynthia Tomes of Bronte.



Come check out the great gift items and enjoy refreshments from 10 am to 12 noon.

Register for 3 \$50 Gift Certificates to be given away on December 24th!

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The time is now!!! Be a part of a historical vote!!

This may be your last chance to sign the PETITION for the **proposal** "to legalize the sale of beer & wine for on-site consumption", be put on a ballot in May's election!!

My goal is to open a restaurant where I can sell beer and wine to customers! This is currently prohibited in Coke County. *I still need more signatures in* order for this proposal to be put on

a ballot! (In order to sign this proposal, you MUST be a registered Coke County voter in Precincts 2 or 4.)

We need to get this proposal to a ballot so we can vote on this as a community.

Please don't pass up this opportunity!!

by Jennifer Addona



Holiday music fills the air. **Bright lights** twinkle to herald the season.



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